

## UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

## REGION 5 77-WEST JACKSON BOULEVARD CHICAGO, IL 60604-3590

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REPLY TO THE ATTENTION OF:

The Honorable Chapin Rose Hinois State Senate 103D State Capitol Springfield, Illinois 62706

Dear Senator Rose:

Thank you for your letter of February 21, 2014 to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Region 5 that provided documents pertaining to EPA's review of the pending application for disposal of polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs) by Clinton Landfill.

Please be advised that EPA continues to review and evaluate the application as well as supplemental information and that a final determination on the application's request for approval to dispose of PCBs has not yet been made by EPA. Throughout the review process, EPA remains committed to continued coordination and information sharing with Illinois EPA.

Once the review process is completed, we will notify you of our final determination. Again, thank you for your letter. If you have any questions, please contact Mary Setnicar at (312) 886-0976 or by email at <a href="mailto:setnicar.mary@epa.gov">setnicar.mary@epa.gov</a>.

Sincerely,

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